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**Subject:** RE: EtO - Texas risk analysis

Based on my last conversation with Mike Honeycutt, after reviewing all the comments they received, TCEQ will be revising their draft ethylene oxide effects screening level (ESL). The draft TCEQ ESL value will be made more stringent, but not as stringent as EPA's IRIS number. TCEQ plans to revise their draft ESL assessment writeup and submit it as part of their comments on the EPA draft MON NESHAP rule. TCEQ also plans to take their revised draft ESL value to formal peer review through a contract with the University of Cincinnati.

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**Subject:** FW: EtO - Texas risk analysis

Hey Ruben,

Can you please provide an update on the EtO risk analysis in Texas? Erin (DGray's assistant) is updating the white board of issues in Texas.

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**Subject:** EtO - Texas risk analysis

Hi David,

I am trying to update the pending issues board. Could you let me know where Texas is on the risk analysis?

Thank you,  
Erin

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